GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Tribal Welfare Department – Irregularities noticed in execution of works in TW Division, Parvathipuram and misappropriation of Government funds and huge advances – Departmental action initiated against Sri B.Umamaheswara Rao, Dy.EE (TW) (Retd.) – Inquiry conducted – Report received – Penalty of hundred percent (100%) cut in pension permanently – imposed – Orders – Issued.

TRIBAL WELFARE (SER.A2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 82 **Dated: 16-04-2021**

Read the following:-

1. From the Collector & District Magistrate, Vizianagaram, D.O.Lr.RC.No. 10/Sup/2000, dt.1O-02-2000.
2. Govt.Memo.No.3366/TW.Ser.II-1/2000-13, dt.18.04.2002.
3. From the Engineer-in-Chief, Tribal Welfare, Vijayawada, Lr.RC. No. B2/920 /2000, dt.08.05.2002 & 17.07.2002.
4. Govt. Memo. No.3366/TW-Ser.II. 1/2000-35, dt. 11.05.2004
5. Govt. Memo No.3366/TW,Ser.II. 1/2000-46, dt.03-11-2004
6. From the COI, D.O.Lr.No.47r/COI-CK/2005, Dt.09.05.2006.
7. Govt. Memo No.3366/TW.Ser.II.1/2000-17, dt 11.10.2006.
8. Sri B.Umamaheswara Rao, Dy.EE (TW) (Rtrd.) submitted his Explanation, dt.09.12.2006.
9. From the Secretary, APPSC, Lr. NO.507/RT-I/1/2008, Dt:14-05-2008.

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O R D E R:

It has been brought to the notice of the Government that the Collector & District Magistrate, Vizianagaram recommended to initiate disciplinary proceedings in respect of irregularities in execution of certain works in TW Division, Parvathipuram and misappropriation Govt. funds and huge advances committed by the erring officials worked in Tribal Welfare Division, Parvathipuram during 1993-1997.

2. Based on the instructions issued in the reference 2nd read above, the ENC, TW has initiated disciplinary action in respect of Sri B.Umamaheswara Rao, Dy.EE (TW) by framing draft articles of charges in the reference 3rd read above.

3. In the reference 4th read above, Government have appointed Sri B.P.Venkateswarlu, Member, C.O.I as Inquiry Authority to conduct Inquiry in to the charges framed against COs as per APCS (CCA) Rules 1991. Later the case was re-assigned to Smt. Chandana Khan, Member, C.O.I in the reference 5th read above. In the reference 6th read above, Inquiry Authority has submitted Inquiry Report.

4. The Government after examining the material records of the case and the report of the Inquiry Authority, have provisionally decided to impose a punishment of "100% cut in pension permanently" against Sri B.Umamaheswara Rao, Dy.EE (TW) (now retired), since the charges proved against him are fraudulent measurements, fabrication of records, arranging forged signatures of his sub-ordinates which are grave in nature. Accordingly, the Government have issued Show-Cause Notice to the individual calling for his explanation vide reference 7th read above. In the reference 8th read above, Sri B.Umamaheswara Rao, Dy.EE (TW) (now retired), has submitted his explanation to the Show-Cause Notice.

5. The Government, after careful examination of the explanation submitted by the Charged Officer, have decided to confirm the penalty proposed in the Show-Cause Notice. Accordingly, the Government hereby impose the penalty of "100% cut in pension permanently" against Sri B.Umamaheswara Rao, Dy.EE (TW) (now retired).

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6. The concurrence of the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission has been obtained in the matter vide reference 9th read above.

7. The Engineer-in-Chief, Tribal Welfare shall take further action accordingly, in the matter.

(BY ORDE AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

KANTILAL DANDE
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (TW)

To
1. Sri B.Umamaheswara Rao, Dy.EE (TW) (now retired)
   (through the Engineer-in-Chief, Tribal Welfare, Vijayawada.)
2. The Engineer-in-Chief, Tribal Welfare, Vijayawada.

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